Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Sunday 29 Aug 2021 until 23:59 on Monday 30 Aug 2021

Forecast Issued on Sunday 29 Aug 2021 at 03:19 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for dry and settled weather through the forecast period but lower confidence for cloud amounts from day to day.

Headline for Sunday 29 Aug 2021: Dry with sunny spells in west, cloudier in east. Light winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 29 Aug 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Fog
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

Forecast for Sunday 29 Aug 2021

Weather: Staying dry throughout. Some areas of low cloud at first but sunny spells developing over most ranges, especially in the southwest. The northern and eastern Cairngorms and Ladder Hills may stay cloudy for most of the day.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 40% at first becoming 80% by afternoon.

Visibility: Generally very good with excellent views from the tops. However, low cloud will bring some poor visibility in the morning. Patchy low cloud and fog may affect the northern and eastern Cairngorms and Ladder hills throughout.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	15/17 N	16/19 N	12/18 N	10/15 N	10/14 N	10/15 NE	9/14 NE
900	8/10 NE	10/13 N	10/15 N	10/15 N	9/13 NE	9/14 NE	10/16 NE
600	6/7 E	7/10 N	8/13 N	8/13 N	8/12 NE	7/12 NE	6/12 NE
300	2/5 NE	5/9 N	7/14 N	8/14 N	6/13 NE	5/10 NE	3/8 NE
Glen	1/7 N	4/10 N	5/12 N	5/12 NE	4/10 NE	3/7 NE	2/5 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	7/4	6/1	7/4	7/4	6/3	5/1	4/1
900	8/5	7/4	9/7	9/7	8/6	7/4	6/4
600	9/8	10/8	12/10	12/10	11/9	9/7	8/7
300	11/11	13/12	14/13	14/13	13/12	11/10	10/10
Glen	11/11	14/13	16/14	16/14	14/13	11/11	10/10
Freezing Level*	2900m	2600m	2700m	2700m	2700m	2600m	2400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Be prepared for some fog on the slopes in the morning but conditions improving across most ranges. Longest sunny periods in southwest.

Forecast for Monday 30 Aug 2021
Weather: A largely cloudy start but brightening up through the morning then dry with sunny spells in the afternoon. Feeling cool on the tops.

Maximum wind: Northeast 10 to 15mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 30% at first becoming 90% by afternoon.

Visibility: Generally very good but some patchy fog and low cloud in the morning.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 10C rising to 17 or 18C.
At 800m: Plus 6 rising to 11C.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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